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April 28, 2022

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger:

I am requesting funding for Communications Equipment for the Bogota Police Department in fiscal year 2023.

The entity to receive funding for this project is the Bogota Police Department, located at 375 Larch Avenue, Bogota, NJ 07603.

The Borough of Bogota is requesting federal investment to support the purchase of communications equipment for the use of the Bogota Police Department. During a severe storm on June 8, 2021, the Department's two-way radio system was struck by lightning, resulting in significant damage, and remains in need of replacement. The lack of an appropriate communications system continues to threaten the safety of the Bogota community. To adequately protect the life and property of the Borough, the Department is in dire need of funding to support the replacement of its two-way radio system. This project will not only improve the daily operations of the Department, but also increase the public safety of the entire Bogota community and surrounding region.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely

Josh Gottheimer

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